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Patent Application of

NATHAN et al

Atty. Ref.: 871-31

Serial No. 08/817,689

Group: 2611

Filed: June 13, 1997

Examiner: A. Koeing

For: INTELLIGENT DIGITAL AUDIOVISUAL PLAYBACK
SYSTEM

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February 15, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231


Sir:

REQUEST FOR SUSPENSION OF ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.103(b)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.103(b), Applicant hereby requests that examination in the above-identified application be suspended for a period of three months. This request is being filed concurrently with a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) and is accompanied by the appropriate fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i).

Respectfully submitted,

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
REQUEST FOR FILING CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION UNDER RULE 53(d)
-FOR DESIGN APPLICATION OR FOR 1st CPA AFTER MAY 29, 2000 IN UTILITY APPLICATION FILED BEFORE MAY 29, 2000-

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.53(d), please file a

☐ continuation/☐ divisional

of the pending prior PATENT APPLICATION of

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Sir:

This request for filing under Rule 53(d) is made by the following named inventor(s) (using the above-identified title):

Inventor(s): NATHAN et al

☐ Please delete the following inventors in the CPA:

☒ Priority is hereby claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following foreign applications:

Application Number	Country	Day/Month/Year Filed
95/08391	France	11/July/1995
PCT/FR94/01185	WIPO	12/October/1994
PCT/FR95/01333	WIPO	12/October/1995

☐ certified copy(ies) of foreign application(s) attached OR

☐ already filed on _____ in prior appln No. _____ filed _____

☒ already filed in PCT/FR94/01185 filed 12/October/1994
PCT/FR95/01333 12/October/1995

☒ Address all future communications to: Nixon & Vanderhye P.C., 1100 N. Glebe Road, 8th Floor, Arlington, VA 22201

☒ Applicant claims "small entity" status. ☐ "Small entity" statement attached.

☐ Please enter the previously unentered Rule 116 amendment filed on _____

☒ The Examiner's attention is directed to the prior art cited in the parent application by applicant and/or Examiner for the reasons stated therein.

☐ Please enter the attached and/or below preliminary amendment prior to calculation of filing fee:

☒ Also attached: ☒ Request for Suspension of Action

FILING FEE IS BASED ON CLAIMS AS FILED LESS ANY HERewith CANCELED

Basic Filing Fee		\$	740.00
Total effective claims	10 - 20 (at least 20) = 0	x \$ 18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent claims	1 - 3 (at least 3) = 0	x \$ 84.00	\$ 0.00
If any proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$280.00 (ignore improper)		\$	0.00

Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) \$110.00/1 month; \$400.00/2 months; \$920.00/3 months) \$ 920.00

Less month extension previously paid on \$-(0.00)

SUBTOTAL \$ 1660.00

If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract \$-(830.00)

SECOND SUBTOTAL \$ 830.00

Petition Fee (\$130.00) \$ 130.00

TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$ 960.00

Any future submission requiring an extension of time is hereby stated to include a petition for such time extension.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

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